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MOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY MEANTINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

In re application of: Andrew W. Taylor et al.

Entitled: ACTIVATION OF REGULATORY T-CELLS BY ALPHA-MELANOCYTE STIMULATING HORMONE

VIA PACSIMILE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated September 27, 2004 of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 24, 42 and 43.

Authorisation is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 in the amount of \$250.00 to cover the Notice of Appeal fee.

The following checked items are appropriate:

A timely response to the final rejection:

[] has been filed [] is hereby filed

An extension of time to respond to the final rejection:

- 1. [] was requested on _ ____ for __ month(s);
- [X] is hereby requested for 3 month(s) authorization is provided herewith the to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 in the amount of \$510.00 for the extension fee.
- [] is included on the enclosed amendment transmittal form along with a check in the amount of \$_____ for the extension fee.
- In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.
- **[X]** The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees under \$1.16 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted by facsimile to: Examiner Gerald R. Edwoldt at (703) 872 9306 on <u>Manall 2005</u>.

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